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AFI 34-219, 9 September 1998, is supplemented as follows:

SUMMARY OF REVISIONS

The authorization for a caterer with a license to distribute alcoholic beverages has been deleted from paragraph **2.1.6**. A bar (|) indicates a revision from the previous edition.

1.1.2.1. (Added) Delaware law defines an adult, for the purpose of sale, possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages, as a person 21 years of age or older.

1.5. **Alcohol Deglamorization Program.** Personnel involved with the sale of alcoholic beverages will be familiar with and comply with, all requirements of AFI 34-219 regarding the spirit and intent of the Alcoholic Deglamorization Program.

2.1. **Governing Criteria.** The Bowling Center, Golf Course, and Lodging facilities are authorized to sell miniature (single serving container) alcoholic beverages for on-premise consumption.

2.1.2.3. (Added) The following Services activities may sell alcoholic beverages for on-premise consumption: Golf Course, Bowling Center, Lodging Facilities (Guests Only), and Collocated Club. Beverages for sale are limited to beer, wine, distilled spirit miniatures, wine coolers and other premixed, commercially packaged alcoholic beverages with less than 7-percent alcoholic content by volume. Additionally, mixed drinks can be sold and served at the Collocated Club.

2.1.2.3.1. (Added) Lodging desk clerks are authorized to sell alcoholic beverages. Alcoholic beverages may be sold 24 hours a day.

2.1.2.3.2. (Added) Desk clerks will verify the purchaser's age with a photo identification card, i.e., DD Form 2, **Armed Forces of the United States - Geneva Conventions Identification Card**, driver's license or a passport prior to selling alcoholic beverages.

2.1.2.3.3. (Added) The desk clerk may assign a guest under 21 years of age to a room with a mini-bar system or honor bar. The mini-bar will be locked or the alcohol will be removed from the honor bar. A notation will be placed in the guest's folio that reads, "guest is under 21".

2.1.2.3.4. (Added) Alcoholic beverages will not be served to individuals who appear to be intoxicated or close to being intoxicated. This determination shall be left to the sole discretion of the individual responsible for serving the alcoholic beverage in the particular instance and is not a subject for dispute.

2.1.2.3.5. (Added) Each desk clerk authorized to sell alcoholic beverages must sign a Statement of Liability. The statement reads, "I understand my responsibility under the dram shop theory of liability not to sell or serve alcoholic beverages to persons who appear to be nearing intoxication and not in complete control of their faculties". The signed statement is then placed in the employee's records.

2.1.6. Consumption of alcoholic beverages on Dover AFB is restricted to the four Services activities listed in paragraph **2.1.2.3. (Added)**, above and the following additional locations: All family housing areas, Visiting Officers' Quarters, Single airman dormitories occupied solely by adults (21 years or older), All transient Lodging facilities (sale and consumption IAW AFI 34-219), Base Museum (limited to service by Services Squadron staff) and the Eagle's Nest picnic area. SVS Operating Instruction 34-43 permits the consumption of alcoholic beverages in the swimming pool areas during private pool parties when approved by the Services Commander however; beverages will be limited to beer, wine, and other low-alcoholic beverages with less than 7-percent alcoholic content by volume. Group and Squadron Commanders may authorize the consumption of alcoholic beverages at unit activities.

2.1.6.1. (Added) Squadron Commanders are responsible for the implementation and enforcement of the rules governing the responsible consumption of alcoholic beverages in squadron areas and/or squadron functions.

2.1.6.2. (Added) The sale of beer, wine coolers and other premixed, commercially packaged alcoholic beverages with less than 7-percent alcohol content by volume for on-premise consumption only is authorized in the following Services facilities and areas, in addition to those facilities and areas specifically authorized in AFI 34-219, or supplements thereto:

2.1.6.2.1. (Added) Eagle's Nest

2.1.6.2.2. (Added) All Athletic Fields

2.1.6.2.3. (Added) All Picnic Areas (Including Housing Picnic Areas)

2.1.6.3. (Added) Alcohol consumption during an employee's work hours is not allowed.

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